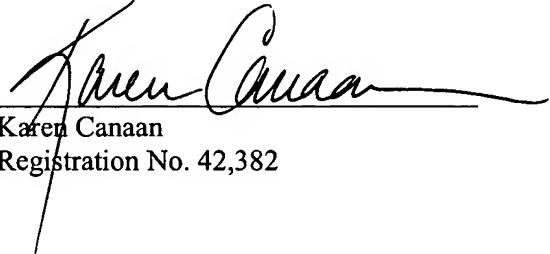


REMARKS

With the submission of the listing of the claims, and in light of the Amendment filed on July 26, 2004, the instant application should be condition for allowance. Applicants thus respectfully request that the Office reconsider this application in light of the Amendment filed on July 26, 2004, and withdraw all pending rejections for this application in response thereof.

If the Examiner has any questions regarding this submission that may be addressed by way of a telephone call or e-mail correspondence, he is encouraged to contact the undersigned at 650-330-4913 or at canaan@reedpatent.com.

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